

The Sydney Morning Herald.

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1865.

BIRTHS.
On the 20th October, at her residence, No. 1, Francis-street, Mrs. J. J. Hayes, of a daughter.

WEDDING.—Mr. W. H. Hayes, of a daughter.

MARRIAGE.—On the 20th October, by special license, at Hawkwood, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. G. F. Williams, A. Hammond Smith, Esq., Curate, Queensland, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. BOWEN, of Hawkwood, Barcaldine, Queensland; second son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. BOWEN, of Hawkwood, Barcaldine, Queensland, formerly of Handwick, New South Wales.

DEATHS.

On the 20th October, at Newbury, Sutton Forest, Elias Newthorpe, with the Rev. John Nichols, L.S., and his wife, Elizabeth, Mrs. R. W. Hayter, of a daughter.

WEDDING.—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. BOWEN, of Hawkwood, Barcaldine, Queensland, formerly of Handwick, New South Wales.

SHIP ADVERTISEMENTS.

OVERLAND ROUTE TO ENGLAND.—The Fennerian and Oriental Steam Navigation Company's steamer

B O M B A Y.
1300 tons, 25-horse power, G. C. Burne, commander, will be dispatched for GALLEY, with her Majesty's mails, passengers, specie, and cargo, on WEDNESDAY, the 22d NOVEMBER, 1865, bound for MELBOURNE, via KERI'S SOUND.

Cables will be received until 5 p.m. on the 20th, and letters and parcels until noon of the 21st.

For particulars regarding freight and passage, with information on all subjects connected with the voyage, apply to HENRY MOORE, Agent, Moore's Wharf, Sydney, 21st October, 1865.

T W O FAMILIES AND PASSENGERS FOR ENGLAND.
The magnificent Black Ball Auxiliary Screw Steam Ship

G R E A T VICTORIA I A,
4000 tons, 500 horse power indicated, will sail early in December 1865 from

S Y DNEY FOR LONDON.
The superb deck saloons are for elegance, comfort, convenience, and general convenience, by any other ship in the Australian trade, and superior accommodation cabin, intermediate, and steerage.

An experienced Surgeon accompanies the ship.

YOUNG, LARK, AND BENNETT;
WILLIS, MERRY, and CO.

STEAM TO HOKITIKA GOLD-FIELDS direct.—The Panama, New Zealand, and Australian Royal Mail steamship

will be dispatched for NELSON, PICTON, WELLINGTON, CANTERBURY, OTAGO, BLUFF, and MELBOURNE.

WEDNESDAY, November 16th.
Goods and passengers for TARANAKI transhipped at New Plymouth.

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A UCKLAND direct.—The Panama, New Zealand, and Australian Royal Mail steamship

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H. S. Macrae, commander,

will be dispatched for AUCKLAND with the English mails if arrived.

WEDNESDAY, November 16th,

taking goods and passengers for NAPIER.

For freight and passage apply at the Company's Office, Grafton Wharf.

JOHN VINE HALL, General Manager.

Q UENSLAND STREAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY'S steamship,

QUEENSLAND, will be dispatched THIS DAY, 2nd November, at 8 p.m.

B RISBANE and IPSWICH,

MARYBOROUGH, GLADSTONE, and

ROCKHAMPTON.

WITHOUT TRANSHIPMENT.

From BRISBANE—Saloon, £2 10s.; return, £2 10s.

" " 10s.; Steerage, 22s. 6d.

" " 10s.; Gladsome, £2 10s.; return, £2 10s.

" " 10s.; Rockhampton, £2 10s.; return, £2 10s.

" " 10s.; Westgate, Manager.

STEAM TO HOKITIKA DIGGINGS DIRECT.—The A. S. N. C. & CO., regular trader JAMES PATTERSON, will positively sail for the above port THIS DAY, Thursday, at 4 p.m.

SAMUEL CLARK, Manager.

A. S. N. C. & CO.'s Wharf, Sussex-street.

H. E. N. C. & CO.—STEAM to the HUNTER, TOMORROW (FRIDAY) NIGHT, at 11 p.m.

CITY OF NEWCASTLE. On MONDAY NIGHT, at 11 p.m.

At the CITY of NEWCASTLE.

Office—Foot of Market-street.

F. J. THOMAS, Manager.

S TEAM to HOBART TOWN, calling at EDEN—GULF of HOBART. John Clark, commander, WEDNESDAY, 8th November.

Return tickets, available four months, £13.

WILLIS, MERRY, and CO.

M ANLY BEACH STREAMERS, THIS DAY, leave Queen's Wharf, 10.30 a.m., 4.30 p.m.

Manly, 8, 11.40, 3.30, 6.30.

Fare, 1s.; children, 6d.

S. H. WILSON.

C. H. R. S. N. C. & CO.'s chartered schooner for the MACLEAY RIVER (running in conjunction with the Captain's steamer Nautilus there).

THE UNION STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

THIS DAY, 4 p.m.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Secretary.

A GENORIA, for KIAMA, will sail THIS DAY from the foot of King-street.

FOR WOGONGA.—MARGARET and MARY,

THURSDAY next. H. MOON, Dugdale's Wharf, Miller's Point.

FOR LAUNCESTON, via NEWCASTLE.—The fine lady ELIZA MACKENZIE, master, sails post.

H. H. BRAUCHAMP, 14, Barrack-street.

FOR PORT MACQUARIE, HASTINGS RIVER.

The regular trader HANNAN, P. Johnson, master, now receiving passage and freight, will sail on SATURDAY EVENING. Apply to board, or O'DOWD and CO.

FOR KEMPSTY, Mackay River.—FLYING FISH, on Saturday, 10 Dowd and Co., Commercial Wharf.

FOR MACLEAY RIVER.—Schooner JANNET to MORROW morning. T. McCaffery, Victoria Wharf.

FOR BOWEN, PORT DENISON.—The regular trader GORDON, Barracouta master, will have quick dispatch.

For freight and passage apply to MOLISON and BLACK, Bridge-street.

FOR SALE, a good SHIP, with sail and cargo. Rail well. Mr. Bennett, Wm. Smith & Son, Ferry. Price £10.

SHIP ADVERTISEMENTS.

LILAWARRA & CO.'S COMPANY'S STREAMERS TO

WOLLONGONG.—Kembel THIS DAY, at noon.

ULLADULLA.—Comeng, TOMORROW, at noon.

YALLAGH.—TOMORROW, at 11 a.m.

SHOALHAVEN.—Ullagh, TOMORROW, at 11 p.m.

SHAMBULAH.—Hunter, on WEDNESDAY, at 10 a.m.

STREAM TO BRISBANE WATER.—The PELICAN, on TUESDAY, the 7th instant, at 9.30 a.m.; and on FRIDAY following, same hour; leaving GOSEND, each day, at 2 p.m.

PERSONS ADVERTISED FOR

FREDERICK JONES, Esq., who is residing in or near Wollongong.

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JAMES MURRAY, from Bowen, please call on Messrs.

STANFORD and CO., 307, George-street.

JAMES DOYLE is requested to communicate with his Sister, J. J. COLLINS, Misenden Road, Newtown, he will hear of something to his advantage.

Address, Craignaugh Cottage, Balmain.

PRINCE OF WALES BIRTHDAY.—

GERMAN ASSOCIATION.

The Annual Grand PICNIC, in aid of the above Association, will take place on THURSDAY, November 16th (the Birthday of H.R.H. the Prince of Wales), at Circular Quay.

Bay.

Tickets, 2s. each, may be applied for at—

Mr. J. Lenhardt, Grafen-Arena, George-street.

J. Storch, 85, King-street.

Momberg, 85, Hunter-street.

Veyre and Delarue, George-street.

A VACANCY for one gentleman, at Mrs. Newson's, 153, Premier-Terrace, William-street.

PARTMENTS, private, with Board, for two gentlemen, or a man, and a family. Apply 40, Lower Pitt-street.

COMFORTABLE HOME for two respectable men.

Terms 18s. per week. 4, Jamison-street.

A VACANCY for two gentlemen at 133, Castlereagh-street, North, near Victoria Club.

PARTMENTS for Gentleman or a Family, with Board, 94, Hunter-street, near Macquarie-street.

A VACANCY for one gentleman, at Mrs. Newson's, 153, Premier-Terrace, William-street.

PARTMENTS, private, with Board, 40, Lower Pitt-street.

COMFORTABLE HOME for two respectable men.

Terms 18s. per week. 4, Jamison-street.

BOARD and RESIDENCE to be had at the European Hotel, 178, Castlereagh-street.

BOARD and RESIDENCE at Mr. Dobson's, 221, Castle-street, near Market-st.

BOARD and RESIDENCE at Mr. Deane's, No. 13, O'Connell-street, near Herald Office.

FURNISHED APARTMENTS, a suite of two, to LET.

Cards at Senor's, chemist, 262, George-street.

FURNISHED—To LET, Cheesman House, Darby-point. T. B. Dearin, Pacific Wharf, Drury-street.

FURNISHED APARTMENTS, suitable for a gentleman.

24, O'Connell-street.

BERN BANK, Edgerton Road.—One of those beautiful semi-detached semi-detached RESIDENCES has just been put in perfect order, for the immediate reception of a family. It contains dining, drawing-room and breakfast room, and two dressing-rooms, exclusive of spacious kitchen and servant's apartments on the ground floor.

Entrance hall, 20 ft. wide, 10 ft. high, with a large staircase.

BERN BANK, Edgerton Road.

NEW SOUTH WALES
PARLIAMENT.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

WEDNESDAY, November 1.
THE PRESIDENT took his seat at half-past 4 o'clock.

PAPERS.

The ATTORNEY-GENERAL laid upon the table a number of papers relating to Crown lands, which were referred to be printed.

PORT JACKSON.

MR. WEEKES gave notice of an address for a committee of inquiry in reference to the harbour of Port Jackson.

DISTRICT COURTS.

The ATTORNEY-GENERAL gave notice of motion for leave to bring in a bill to amend the District Court Act.

NEW BILLS.

The ATTORNEY-GENERAL further gave notice of motion for to-morrow (Thursday) for leave to introduce a number of bills relating to the revenue laws.

AUSTRALIAN MINERAL OIL.

MR. DEAS THOMSON presented a petition for leave to introduce a bill to incorporate the Australian Mineral Oil Company.

The petition was received and granted.

LIBRARY ABSENT.

SIR W. M. MANNING moved for leave of absence for one month for the Hon. W. Byrnes, on the ground of indisposition.

CENSUS.

MR. DEAS THOMSON gave notice of question as to whether the Government intended to make any provision on the Estimates for the ensuing quinquennial census?

SMOKE NOISES.

MR. DEAS THOMSON gave notice of motion for leave to introduce a bill to prohibit the nuisance of smoke from furnaces.

The remaining business was postponed, and the House adjourned until to-morrow (Thursday).

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WEDNESDAY.

THE SPEAKERSHIP.

At twenty-five minutes past 3, a large number of members having assembled,

THE SPEAKER reported that last evening he received a letter, in which the Speaker of the House tendered his resignation of office. [Letter read.]

MR. CONYER rose to propose "That William Manning Arnold, Esq., do take the chair of this House."

In 1841 he succeeded Mr. (now Sir Charles) Nicholson, and in 1846 Mr. (now Sir Charles) Coorey to this high office, and the acceptable way in which those gentlemen performed the duties would, he believed, be acknowledged by all those hon. members who had had an opportunity of observing the manner in which they were discharged. He had equal pleasure in proposing that Mr. Arnold should be chosen. The gentleman was one of our oldest members, having for nearly ten years held a seat in the House, during a portion of which time he filled the office of Chairman of Committees, and subsequently he had held the position of Minister of the Crown. On due consideration, and with the question, seeing that the gentleman he had nominated had had a good training to fit him for the office he might now be called upon to fill, and feeling that at least a majority of the House would agree that he had discharged the duties of Chairman of Committees satisfactorily, he (Mr. Conyer) thought that there would come with him in the opinion that Mr. Arnold was well qualified to fill the high office now vacant if he should be elected. Sir Robert Peel, in nominating Mr. Manning Arnold, the chair of the House of Commons, made this speech of this other. It is an extremely high and important situation in the State which does not depend on the election of the people. The office of Speaker of the House is of a character not less remarkable for its great antiquity than on account of the amount of trust reposed in the individual appointed to that high situation. His duties are so many and important, and the House is so accustomed to witness their performance—so deeply interested in their discharge—that it would be superfluous, and indeed unnecessary, to enter into any detail. Everyone who now has seen even those who now attend here for the first time to assist in our deliberations—must be aware of the duties which the Speaker has to perform in this House. To him it belongs to preside over our proceedings, to deliver his opinion with promptitude, and to decide upon all disputed points referred to his consideration, to preside over the discussions of the House; to regulate its forms, to exercise its collective authority, to pronounce its censure, and to communicate these testimonies of national approbation and pride to the other branches of the Legislature. We must detail every man who forms part of the House, and highest regard to honourable minds. But these duties of Speaker which are discharged within our walls constitute but a small, and not the most important, part of the great functions committed to that high officer. Not only he selected for the guidance of our own rights—we also select him for the guidance of our duties, for which the people at large are no less interested than ourselves—during the execution of which, it might be said even the remotest posterity. We do not select him merely to make a formal demand of those rights and privileges which are claimed or asserted by our constituents, which are often very remote. We select him for his personal liberality. No we select him as the sentinel to guard against all slight encroachments on our privileges—to detect those trivial departures from established forms, which are the more dangerous because from their apparent want of importance they are apt to escape attention, and because the danger to be apprehended from them is too often sudden to be perceived in an immediate interference. The necessity of providing a check against such contingencies is pointed out by reason and history. Danger may be connected with an amendment to some private bill, with an alteration in some penalty, with a change in some particular regulation. There is some matter equally trivial in appearance which in the result might affect not merely those immediately interested, but even the remotest generations. Without proceeding into the details of the organization of the government (Mr. Conyer) so nominated, he would have the House to judge whether he did not possess in a great degree the qualifications thus referred to so eloquently by Sir Robert Peel. His experience in the House, his great ability and intellectual attainments appeared eminently to fit him for such an office, and it was on those grounds that he had now been proposed as Speaker of the Legislative Assembly.

DR. LANG begged to second the motion. Few members were sufficiently acquainted with parliamentary law and practice to be suited for an appointment, and he was from a conviction that Mr. Arnold was fully able to discharge the very important duties, that he had risen to second the nomination. This conviction was derived from what he had observed in various sessions of Parliament since he first became a member.

Mr. MACPHERSON thought the long vacillation of qualifications for a Speaker cited by the hon. the Colonial Secretary might be summed up in a much shorter and more concise manner. He (Mr. Macpherson) thought the first and highest qualification for any Speaker of the House should be a wide popular representation. The qualifications he ought to have were undoubtedly integrity, strict impartiality, perfect urbanity of manner, a clear judgment, and a thorough acquaintance with the forms and usages of the House. These might be desirable in a Minister of the Crown, as well as in a Speaker; but as there were few who did not know the meaning of self-government, the people at large were less interested in the qualifications of a Speaker, than in the qualifications of the House.

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TELEGRAPHIC MESSAGES.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.

ARMIDALE.

Wednesday evening.

A CASH-BOX supposed to contain about £25 was stolen out of the Roman Catholic Chapel yesterday.

There is every prospect of drought.

WEST MAITLAND.

Wednesday evening.

Buyers of maize and hay are scouring the country in all directions. It is scarce, and is quoted at 1s. per bushel. Hay is in fair supply, at 6d per ton.

Weather very hot.

BRAIDWOOD.

Wednesday evening.

The business of the Quarter Sessions was resumed this morning before Judge Maymott, with Mr. Templeton prosecuting for the Crown. George Bennett, charged with horse-stealing, was found guilty, and sentenced to three years' hard labour. Ah Foo, found guilty of larceny, was sentenced to two years in Dartmoor gaol. This case concluded the business.

WELLINGTON.

Wednesday evening.

Mr. Saul Samuel was re-elected for Wellington without opposition.

FORBES.

Wednesday evening.

The continued drought has swept most of the crops.

Nos. 5 and 6 on the North Grange Lead washed 150 ounces of gold last week, making upwards of an ounce to the load.

Prime fat bacon worth 4d per head. Flour, nominally, 3s 6d per ton. Potatoes, 18s. per cwt. Everything rising.

There is no prospect of a change of weather. The firmament is cloudless.

QUEENSLIFFE.

Wednesday evening.

ARRIVALS, 4 P.M.—Champion of the Seas, ship, from Liverpool. 5 p.m. Sapphire, barque, from Sydney.

MELBOURNE.

Wednesday evening.

The Legislative Assembly has postponed the consideration of the Legislative Council's message as to a conference until Tuesday.

The Assembly adjourned until Tuesday, and the Council until Wednesday.

The Minister for Lands told the Legislative Assembly, last evening, that the extent of territory now open for selection under the Land Act is 1,030,000 acres.

The annual elections of city councillors took place to-day, but without a contest in any case.

MELBOURNE CUT.—There is no material alteration in the betting. Ebor is scratched.

All speculative feeling in flour has subsided, but a very steady trade demand is experienced. Adelaide flour, country brands, sold at 2s 8d; town brands, 2s 10s.; Chilian flour, 2s 5d; Chilian wheat, fine samples, 11s. 6d.; inferior parcels, 1s.; Adelaide wheat, 1s. 6d. Maize, very active; considerable parcels have been sold at 5s.

800 barrels cement sold at 17s. 3d.

Butter, in 15d.

1500 half-chests common teas sold at a low figure—exact price withheld.

ADELAIDE.

Wednesday, 7 p.m.

Mr. Neales is appointed Commissioner of Crown Lands.

H. Downer, solicitor, has accepted the Commissionership in Insolvency.

At wool sales, 10d. to day, greasy, 8d, to 9d; skins, 4d. to 6d.; salted hams, 10s. to 15s.

Belmont candles sold at auction at 10d.

Cormacks, 13d.

No business doing in wheat and flour, holders asking more than buyers will give.

ARRIVALS.—Tai Lee, from Foo Chow, Midas, from Fremantle.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION, THIS DAY.

MR. S. WOOLLER.—At his Repository, at 11 o'clock, Horses, Carts, Buggies, &c.

MESSRS. BURT AND CO.—At their Victoria Yards, Peterham.

MR. C. MARTIN.—At his Barras, at 11 o'clock, Horses, Vehicles, Horses, &c.; at the Campden Yards, at 2 o'clock, Horses.

MR. D. COCKBURN.—At the Baywater Hotel, Baynes Bay, New South Wales, License, Beer Engine, Spirit Fountain, Stock-in-trade.

MESSRS. C. MOORE AND CO.—At their Rooms, at half past 12 o'clock, Drapery, Linen, &c.

MR. J. G. COHEN.—At his Rooms, at 11 o'clock, Millinery.

MR. J. SOLOMON.—At his Rooms, at 11 o'clock, Stationery.

MESSRS. BRADLEY AND NEWTON.—At their Rooms, at 11 o'clock, American Chairs.

MR. N. COOPER.—At his Rooms, at 11 o'clock, Boots and Shoes.

MESSRS. RICHARDSON AND WRENTHORPE.—At the Chamber of Commerce, at a quarter past 2 o'clock, Wool and Sheep-skins.

MESSRS. IRWIN AND TURNER.—At the Chamber of Commerce, at a quarter past 2 o'clock, Wool and Sheepskins.

MR. O. E. BERSWORTH.—At the Chamber of Commerce (after Mr. S. Wooller), Wool and Sheepskins.

MESSRS. MULYAN AND CO.—At the Chamber of Commerce, at a quarter past 2 o'clock, Wool and Sheepskins.

MR. F. NEWSTEAD.—At the Chamber of Commerce, at a quarter past 2 o'clock, Wool and Sheepskins.

MESSRS. NEWELL.—On premises, opposite the Brewery, Parrot-street, at 2 o'clock, Fancy Goods, Toys, Jewellery, &c.

MR. T. H. HOLMES.—At his Rooms, at 11 o'clock, Sheep, Milk, Cow, Calves, Lambs, Pigs, Poultry, &c.

ADVANTAGES OF EARLY PLOUGHING.—As to the benefits of early ploughing, a correspondent of the *Border Post* writes:—The system generally pursued in this colony is to leave all ploughing operations until the wet weather sets in; consequently, it would be natural to dream of the soil being ready for sowing and what little moisture is in the ground evaporates. Very early sowing I think not so much a matter of importance. But plough early by all means, allowing the land to drink in every shower, and the rain to penetrate the soil to the depth of six inches in the soil before sowing and harrowing, and you will be rewarded if not by a crop of wheat, with as good an equivalent in a time of drought, viz., a crop of hay. The same system, I should imagine to have the same effect in any other branch of agriculture.

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AT BUNGPY.—The disease has made its appearance in late crops, and it is feared that the wheat will suffer. The supply of lucerne and wheat in Sydney is at present so small that buyers are offering increased rates.

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INVESTED FUNDS.

Capital paid up..... £301,762 0 0

Reserve Life Department..... 1,656,221 12 10

Reserve surplus fund..... 971,405 12 10

Balance of undivided profits..... 192,569 18 11

Total..... £3,212,343 5 0

REVENUE.

Fire premiums..... £742,674 0 0

Life premiums..... 236,245 0 0

Interest on investments..... 166,000 0 0

Total income..... £1,144,917 0 0

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C ANTHERBURY GOLD-FIELDS.—Intending Travellers to the above Gold-fields are informed that owing to the works on the last fifty miles of the road between La Trobe and Bendigo, it will be necessary in unfavourable weather that portion of the road will not be open for dry traffic within the time previously advertised.

Future notice will be given of that road being open throughout for dry traffic.

EDWARD BURRILL, Provincial Secretary. Provincial Office, Christchurch, Canterbury, N.Z., 3rd October, 1865.

N OTICE is hereby given, that application will be made to the Legislature of New South Wales during the ensuing session of Parliament, for leave to bring in a BILL to incorporate a certain institution established in Sydney, in the colony aforesaid, having for its object to afford medical and surgical relief to poor and destitute persons under 18 years of age, in the Hospital, Infirmary and Dispensary; to enable the said institution to acquire, hold, and dispose of real and personal estate; to do and transact all such business as may be necessary for the purpose aforesaid, and to sue and be sued in the corporate name, and to exercise its operations by the erection of any branch offices, whether for the free or fee-charging service, for the management of the said institution or its branches; to define the powers, right, duties, and responsibilities of its members, officers, and servants; and for the purposes in the said bill expressed.

Dated at Sydney, this 20th October, 1865.

H. D. RUSSEL, Clerk to the Institution.

C HARLES SHILLINGFORD, deceased.—Pursuant to the Act of the Legislature of New South Wales, No. 264 Victoria, No. 12, section 29, intituled "An Act to amend the Law of Property, and further to relieve Trustees," notice is hereby given, that all Creditors (as well Mortgagors as other Creditors) and all other persons having any interest in the property, or to whom the same may be assigned, or to whom the same may be transferred, shall receive payment of the debts, rights, and liabilities of the said CHARLES SHILLINGFORD, deceased, of the colony of New South Wales, and late of Nelson, in the province of Nelson, in the colony of New Zealand, deceased, (who died on or about the 22nd day of November, 1864, and whose Will and Letters of Administration of whose estate and effects were granted by the Probate Court of New South Wales, in his Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, on the 16th day of June last, to GEORGE WIGRAM ALLEN, of Sydney aforesaid, gentleman, the duly constituted Attorney for MARY SHILLINGFORD, of Nelson aforesaid, and his wife, and to the executors of his estate, to whom he left his property, to be applied to pay off the debts of the said CHARLES SHILLINGFORD,) from the date of his death, to the 1st day of December next, to Messieurs ALLEN, BOWDEN, and ALLEN, of 124, Elizabeth-street, Sydney, aforesaid, Solicitors, and notice is hereby given, that after the 1st day of December next, to the George WIGRAM ALLEN will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Charles Shillingford, deceased, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said Messieurs Allen, Bowden, and Allen may have notice; and that the said George Wigram Allen will not be answerable for any amount which he shall not then have had notice of, or paid over to the said assets or any part thereof. Dated this first day of November, A.D. 1865.

ALLEN, BOWDEN, and ALLEN, Proctors, 124, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

D UNEDIN.—We beg to intimate that we have opened a branch of our business at Hokitika, under the management of our Mr. HEPBURN, and that we are now prepared to supply all the requirements of the colony who undertake any business committed to our care.

M ALINDERS, HEPBURN, and CO., Auctioneers and Commissioners Agents. Dunedin, September 1st.

L AW, SOMMERS, and CO., Wholesale and Retail Booksellers, 260, Pitt-street, opposite Tattersall's.

N O TICE to Mr. JOHN PERKELL, WILKIE, of Bundaberg, in the colony of Queensland, his executors, and to MR. ALEXANDER TURNER, and HARRY, his executors, that the colony of Queensland, and the colony of New South Wales, do hereby disclaim the debt and responsibility you herewith to pay or cause to be paid all principal and interest money due on a loan under and in virtue of a certain Indenture of Mortgage, bearing date the 10th instant, in the month of August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and made, between the said Arthur Martin by Indenture bearing date the twentieth September, 1854, and the said John Perkell, and sixty-five. And we do hereby inform and give notice that unless the same be paid, according to the terms of the said mortgage, within the space of three calendar months from the date of this notice, the said Arthur Martin will be compelled to sell the said lands and hereditaments in the said mortgage comprised, in pursuance of the powers therewith vested in him.

Dated this twenty-seventh day of October, A.D. 1865.

ROBERTS and HART, Solicitors, Brisbane.

B LACK OXIDE OF COPPER.—The undersigned begs to inform the public that he has been appointed sole agent for the supply of the above valuable mineral, which has lately been found to possess extraordinary properties in restoring the hair, even in balding cases.

It has been prepared from instructions received in the form of a pomade, and will be sold together with directions for use. Caution.—The undersigned would respectfully caution parties who contemplate using the above to be satisfied that they have obtained the genuine Oxide as obtained from the Caravans Mine, for which he is sole agent, and not the ordinary Black Oxide of commerce, which will not produce the same effect. The genuine will have the signature of the proprietor on each label. Beware of counterfeits.

Mr. ROBERTS, E. H. O'NEILL, Chemist and Druggist, corner of Pitt and King streets. Sold also by F. Wilkinson, Hunter-street; Mr. Pratt, Brickhill Hill-street; Mr. Brown, Pitt-street; Mr. McMahon, George-street; J. Evans, South Head Road; Mr. Harry, Haymarket; Mr. Mills, Newtown; and Mr. Howard, Paddington.

The genuine Oxide on sale wholesale and retail.

CHARLES LAWRENCE (of the All England Eleven), late of George-street, Sydney, begs to inform his friends, and the public, that he has taken the above hotel, and respectfully solicits their patronage.

FAMILIES who have not visited this suburb would do well before engaging apartments in Sydney, to take a trip by steamer.

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Warranted sound, and never diseased. Also, 3000 head mixed cattle, with right of brand, to be mustered and delivered at Winton, DANGAN, GLICHETT, and CO., 88, Clarence-street, Sydney; V. WYNDHAM Esq., Cooloolah, Wairalda; and the undersigned.

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I M P O R T E D S T O C K , to arrive from Auckland, New Zealand.
10 pure bred Leicester rams
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10 ditto Southdown rams
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U S E P F E L S—Saddle and Harness HORSE, good condition, and quiet, £12. NORFOLK'S, 450, Pitt-street.

F O R S A L E .—a good second-hand four-seated BUGGY, £30. GIBSON'S Repository, 282, Pitt-street.

A M E R I C A N C o v e r e d W A G G O N , Fair stand quiet Horses and Harness, either together or separate. GIBSON.

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S A L E S BY AUCTION.

No. 65-66. Town Clerk's Office, Sydney, 25th October, 1865.

T O I R O N F O U N D E R S A N D O T H E R S .—THE CITY OF SYDNEY.—The following lots, by public auction, at the City Foundry, Bridge and Bonn street, THIS DAY, the 2nd November, at 11 o'clock.

Sundry lots of old cast-iron, brass, files, shovels picks, wedges, waste engine-oil, old barrel water-carts, carts, &c. Terms, cash on delivery.

CHARLES H. WOOLCOTT, Town Clerk.

T O B E S O L D .—WOOLRILL'S, Pitt-street, by auction, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock. Horse, dog, dray, cart, &c., for sale. Proceeds payable immediately after sale.

Fat Cattle.

At the Victoria Yards, Petersham.

On THURSDAY next.

B U R T and CO. are instructed by the Messrs. Bucknell, to sell by auction, at the store Yards, THIS DAY, at half-past 2 o'clock, 150 head fat cattle.

Kings Horses.

M R. C. MARTYN will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.

A draft of well-trained horses, all broken to saddle and harness, and in good condition.

THURSDAY'S General Sale.

M R. C. MARTYN will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.

The usual variety of saddle and harness horses.

Kings horses, saddlery, &c., &c.

Powder Coats from A. Bell's well-known Stud.

M R. CHARLES MARTYN has received instructions to sell, at the Bank Auction Rooms, THIS DAY, and November, 1865, at 11. Invoices of superior military, &c., just landed on Philosopher, &c.

An elegant and fashionable assortment of ladies' bonnets, richly trimmed, and suitable for the present season.

Children's caps, lace, &c., &c., &c.

Children's cotton stockings.

Child's moccasin, embroidered.

Child's dress, trimmed, small, medium, and large infants' hats, silk quilted.

Diaper hood, embroidered, &c.

Intending buyers are requested to be punctual in their attendance at the time of sale, viz., 11, in order the various lots may be disposed of without any reserve.

Terms at sale.

FRIDAY, 3rd November, 1865.

A S S O R T E D B A T H R E W A R E .

BLU FIGURED CHINA CUT GLASSWARE.

Just landed on Colonial Empire.

To EARTHENWARE DEALERS.

To GLASSWARE BUYERS.

To COUNTRY STOREKEEPERS

To SHIPPERS, and others.

For Positive Sale.

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On FRIDAY, November 3rd, at 11 o'clock.

Jewellery, Gold and Silver Watches.

By Mail Steamer Madras.

Consisting of:

Superior Lady's Gold and Pearl Diamond Suite

Ditto Emerald and Diamond Suite

2nd Star Presentation Cases

Rings, Brooches, Silks, Caps

Silver Plates, Forks, Spoons

Embossed Silver Bowls

Silver Albert Guards

Gold and Pearl Brooches

Ditto diamond, &c., &c.

Silver Card-cases, Box-holders

And a variety of other articles of Jewellery too numerous to particularise.

The whole of the above are of the best workmanship and designs.

To Watchmakers, Jewellers, and others.

M R. JOHN SOLOMON has received instructions to sell by public auction, at his Rooms, 311, George-street, on FRIDAY, November 3rd, at quarter past 11 o'clock.

Cards of wool and silk.

Hides.

Leather goods.

Bacon, &c.

Terms, cash.

WEEKLY WOOL SALE.

M ORT and CO. will sell by public auction,

at the CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, SYDNEY EXCHANGE, THIS DAY, Thursday, November 2nd, at quarter past 2 o'clock,

1000 heads of prime fat cattle, in lots to suit purchasers.

Fat Cattle. Fat Cattle.

At the Homebush Sale Yards, on MONDAY, the 6th November, at 11 o'clock.

THOMAS DAWSON has received instructions from A. J. Coleret, Esq., to sell by auction, on MONDAY next, the 6th instant, at Mr. John Fullagar's, at 11 o'clock.

100 head of prime fat cattle, lots to suit purchasers.

Terms, cash.

Railway Auction Produce Depot.

F. P. MEARES (successor to Thomas Dawson) will sell by auction, at his Depot, George-street South, at 11 o'clock, THIS DAY, Sheep, mutton, swine, calves, lamb, pig, poultry, &c.

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